Original Journal. Referred till the said workeman appears in the house

23. M<sup>r</sup> John ffreemans peticon &c Referred to this house Rejected

Severall Letters layd before the house & read proposall about Encourageing some persons to goe out vpon the mountaines vpon discovery &c

The sending men vpon that accompt at this present time thought will be too chargable and burthensome to the Country

Touching the Remarke about the Clerke of the house

signing as Clk of the Assembly &c

The same is answered The Clerke of this house signing

as Clerke of the house of delegates

Proposall about the Addiconall conveniencies & offices

about the State house &c

Resolved that as to the Addiconall conveniencies & things proposed about the state house The same are very necessary to be done And that Maj Hamond and Maj Dorsey be hereby appointed Trustees to agree with & Imploy persons to doe & finish the same who shall be paid therefore out of the publick Levy of this province

The said Resolve is assented to

by his Excy & his Matvs honble Council

Hen: Denton Cl Concil

That the house give their opinion whether it may not be convenient to have the Armes (to be sent for in) Sanguin'd

P. 13 Resolved That it will be very convenient for the better preserving of them that they be sanguin'd

The said Resolve is assented to

by his Excy & his Matys honble Council \ Hen Denton Cl Council A peticon of Major Whittington high Sheriffe of Sumerset

County Referred to the Consideracon of the house

A peticon of Maj<sup>r</sup> Edward Dorsey Craveing longer time for building the Church & Schoole & Is referred as above a peticon of Cap<sup>t</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Welland about the Church to be is referred as above And the said three peticons are delivered into the house accordingly.

## Tuesday June the 1st 1697

The Council againe Sate & were present.

His Ex<sup>cy</sup> ffrancis Nicholson Esq<sup>r</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup> gen<sup>ll</sup> & S<sup>r</sup> Thomas Laurence Baronet Sec<sup>ry</sup>

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